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Daily Weather Threat Briefing

Regional Operations Center

Western Region

Saturday, October 29



Day 1 (Saturday): Elevated fire weather conditions continue in the mountains and inland areas in southern California



Weather Risk Outlook

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	Sat, Oct 29	Sun, Oct 30	Mon, Oct 31	Tue, Nov 1	Wed, Nov 2	Thu, Nov 3	Fri, Nov 4
Fire Weather Low RH / Wind / Dry T-Storms	Southern	Southern					
Thunderstorms Wind / Hail / Tornadoes							
Heat							
Cold							
River Flooding							
Wind				Statewide	Inland/ Southern	Southern	
Heavy Rain Flash Flooding / Debris Flow				Coastal/Inland	Statewide	Statewide	
Snow				Inland (Sierra)	Inland (mountains)	Inland/Southern (mountains)	

Risk Levels

Little to None

Minor

Moderate

Major

Extreme



Weather Key Points

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- Dry weather will mostly prevail across most of the state through early next week
 - Light precipitation will be possible Saturday morning across northwestern California. However, no precipitation impacts are expected.
 - Very dry conditions and breezy winds are expected this weekend in the mountain and interior areas across southern California, which will lead to continued elevated fire weather conditions
- Another storm system will likely bring widespread precipitation, mountain snow, gusty winds, and much colder temperatures to most of the state
 - **Timing:** Precipitation chances will increase Monday night through Tuesday across northern California, before spreading into central and southern California Wednesday. Best precipitation chances will then be confined to mainly southern California Thursday, with lingering precipitation across northern California possible.
 - **Snow:** Heavy mountain snow is expected above ~5,500-6,500' Tuesday through Wednesday in Inland regions, especially in the Sierras. Potential for winter impacts dropping to 3500-5500' in some locations Tuesday Night and into Wednesday.
 - Some uncertainties remain with the timing and strength of the system, however there is a chance this could be a moderate impact event.
- Potential for another storm system next weekend into early next week



Precipitation Forecast

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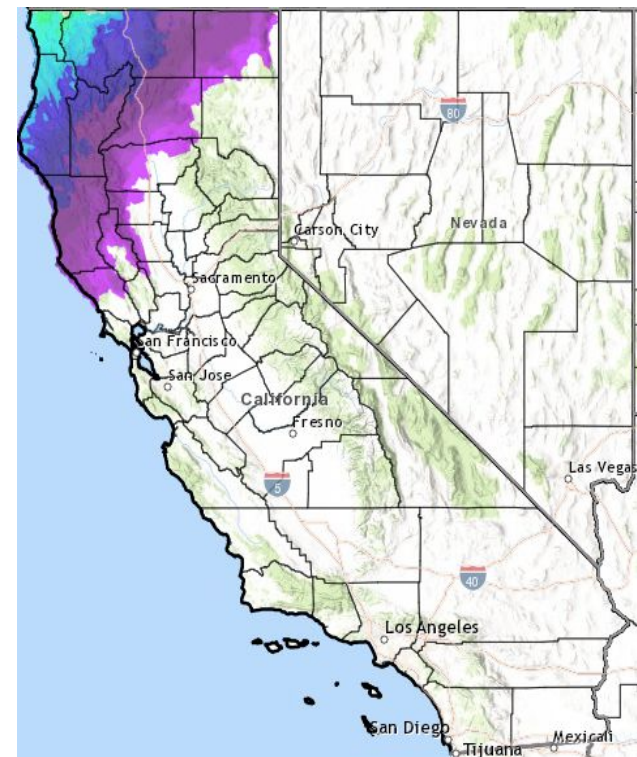
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Saturday



Sunday



Monday

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Precipitation (inches)



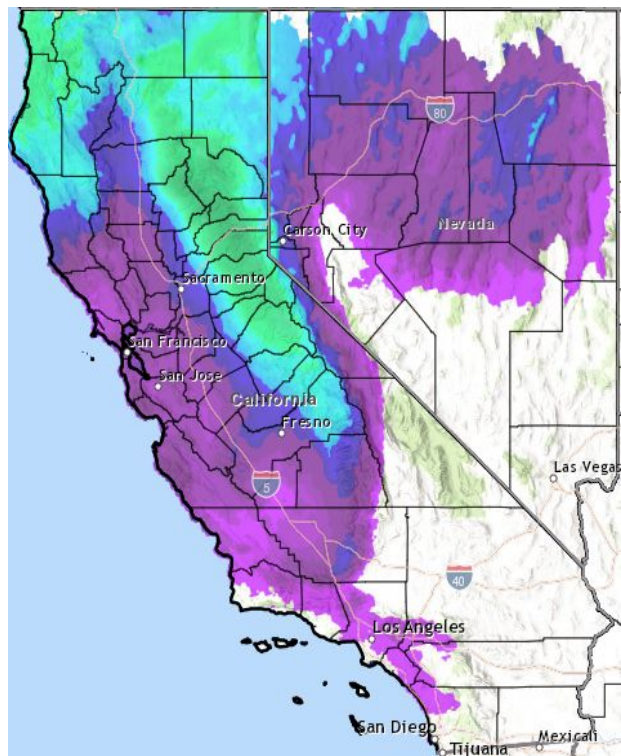


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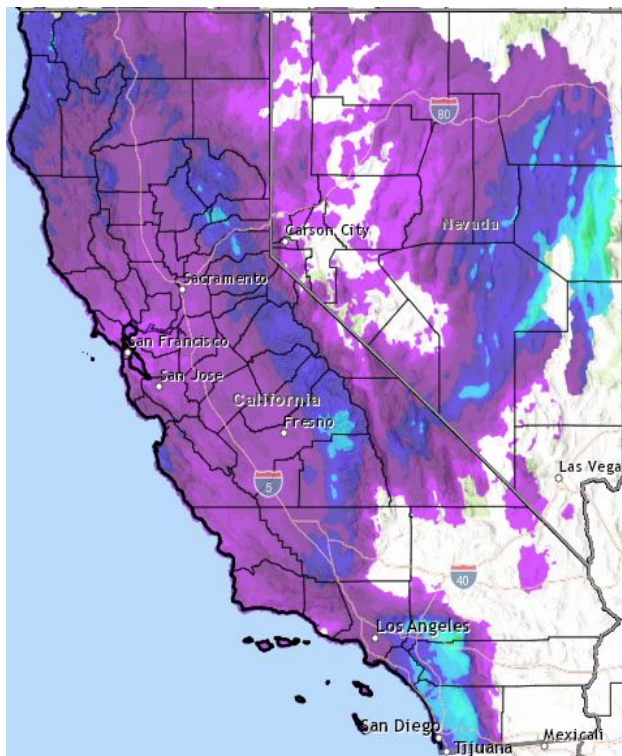
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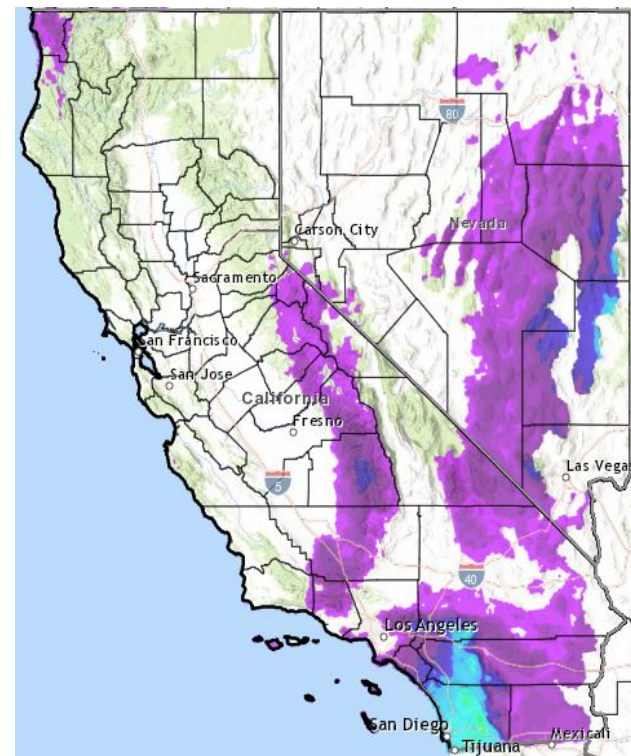
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Tuesday



Wednesday



Thursday

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Weather Outlook (6-14 Days)

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6-10 Day Outlook (November 3 – 7)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (November 5 - 11)

Temperatures

- Near normal temperatures favored for far northern California, with below normal temperatures favored for the rest of the state

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation favored for southern California, with above normal precipitation is favored for the rest of the state



Risk Assessment Matrix

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Impact Level Definition

- 1. Impactful weather is not expected.**
- 2. Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.**
 - Localized impacts on commerce possible.
 - Includes events that occur frequently.
- 3. Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.**
 - Impacts on commerce possible.
 - Includes events that occur a few times per year.
- 4. Actions likely needed to save lives and/or property.**
 - Significant impacts to commerce possible.
 - Includes events that occur infrequently.
- 5. Actions required to save lives and/or property.**
 - Significant and extended impacts to commerce.
 - Includes exceptionally rare events.

